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Poet's Corner.



Two Characters.

Some murmur when their sky is clear
And wholly bright to view,
If one small speck of dark appear
In their great heart of blue;
And soon with thunders love are fury,
It's come streaks of light,
One ray of God's great mercy, gild,
The darknesses of their night.

In places are hearts that ask
In discontent and pride;
What life is such a dreary task;
All good things denied;
And hearts that under admiration
How few have in their aid
(Love that never seems to tire)
Such rich provision made.

Select Tales.

My Scissors.

BY FRANCES DANAGAGE.

"Good morning Mrs. Wick; hope I see you well, this morning."

"Well, yes, pretty well, all but my hands."

"Your hands! what's the matter with your hands; not been scalding them I hope?"

"No! worse than that, I got them all blistered up trying to cut out the children's fall clothes, with my old scissors I've had 'em these ten years, and they're just as dull as a hoe, and every time I cut a roundabout shirt, or pair of pants, I have such a time of it. Susan Willard is sewing for me now, and I wanted to get my cutting done while my hand was in, so I just wanted to see if you would not lend me your nice's large tailor shears, a day or two, for I won't do another thing with mine for a week to come."

"Really, Mrs. Wick, I would like to accommodate you, but I am very busy with mine just now, cutting rags for my carpet and could not possibly spare them without great inconvenience."

"Well, I don't know what I'll do; I can't cut out any more with mine, and Susan has only two weeks to stay. Do you know of any one that has a good pair?"

"No, I do not. Would it not be better for you to purchase a good pair? I could hardly get along without mine for a single day, without feeling the want of them."

"What did yours cost?"

"Two dollars and a half."

"Two dollars and a half—goodness!—Mr. Wicks would no more let me have money to buy such a pair of scissors, than he'd fly."

"Oh, I think you are mistaken I have always thought Mr. Wicks very indulgent."

"There's where you are altogether mistaken. I hardly ever ask him for money, but what he says something to hurt my feelings, and I often do without things I really need, rather than have any words. Why, yes, to-day I asked him for money to get my fall trimmings for my bonnet and Rosina's, and it was all I could do to get it out of him—"

"How much did it require to fit your bonnets up for winter?"

"Only five dollars; it would cost ten, you know, to get us both new ones; I thought he need not complain at fixing up the old ones."

"Asson—And you have the five dollars in your possession—"

"Yes, and we have thought we could get trimmings at Grant's. The beautiful royal purple with the orange edge, it's a love of a ribbon, and so cheap, only seven-and-a-half cents a yard."

"My dear Mrs. Wicks let me give you a new idea. Would your husband complain if you should trim your bonnet with ribbon worth half that sum, and appropriate the balance to the purchase of a good pair of scissors?"

"No, of course he would not; but who'd like to know, is going to make them selves the town talk for the sake of gratifying a husband's whims."

"Do it to gratify yourself, to add to your own comfort. My bonnet, trimmings and all will not cost over one dollar and a half, and I don't believe the town will trouble itself one bit about it. Town talk or no talk, you may be sure I'll never run about with my fingers in rags while I can save the price of a pair of scissors in one bonnet trimming. Now, don't be offended Mrs. Wicks; I know you really think you can't get along any other way than just as you do; but if you will only make the effort to economise in your items of dress, &c., you will soon find yourself amply supplied with all these little household conveniences which you seem so much to want; and my word for it, your husband will not make half the objections to furnishing money for usefuls that he now does for non-essentials."

"Now, there is neighbor Pennyman's wife, flourishing in a fifteen dollar crappe shawl, but her girl complains that she has to borrow washtubs weekly, and that Mrs. P. says it is all Mr. Pennyman's fault."

"Why, Mrs. Smith, I thought you was a Woman's Rights woman."

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THE BAY STATE MILLS AND THE TOWN OF LAWRENCE IN MASSACHUSETTS.—The editor of the New York Mirror, last week paid a visit to the flourishing town of Lawrence, Mass., where the extensive manufacturing establishment, the "Bay State Mills," is situated, under the charge of Capt. Perry, formerly of the U. S. Navy, and a brother of Commodore Perry. The Mirror says:

The Bay State Mills employ about 2,000 operatives, nearly an equal number of both sexes; the males clearing about \$8 80 per week, and the females \$2 75. They work twelve hours a day. The boarding house accommodations of these Mills are altogether the best we have ever seen. They are rented by the Company, mostly to women at very low rates; but how they can afford to feed men at \$1 75 per week, and females at \$1 25, and feed them well, too, as we are assured they do, is an insolvable problem to a New York housekeeper, or boarder, where, for \$2 a day, we don't always get the best of roast beef.

Of the number of millions invested in these mills, and the annual profit to the owners we had not time to inquire. It must be remembered by those who rail at the lack

of Government protection for their manufacturers, that these mills, and many others have been built and constantly run under the present much abused tariff, of

and profitable market.

In the "Shawl Room" we noticed varied and beautiful descriptions of shawls, "manufactured to order," and certainly the looms of Europe could produce nothing finer.

And here we saw a recent Yankee invention, unknown in England, which pleased us more than all other contrivances connected with the mechanical operations of these Mills.

It consisted simply of a couple of iron fingers with gloves on, for twisting fringes. This simple machine performs the labor of ten girls, with unerring precision and uniformity.

Another argument to prove that Yankee skill can compete successfully with the "pauper labor of Europe." When all the Mills now going up are completed, including the extensive Muslin de Laine Mills, the entire number of operatives required will be 5,000; and according to the average proportion of manufacturing towns, this will swell the population to 15,000 which it will reach within eight years from the date of its birth—a growth certainly unequalled, without the stimulus of a gold mine, in this or any other country.

Lawrence already bristles with church spires, and has one of the handsomest Town Halls in New England. It also contains a Bank with a capital of \$300,000; a Savings Bank; a High School, with numerous Primaries, of which the citizens are justly proud; and, we believe, two newspapers.

A THANKSGIVING TURKEY.—An ingenious contriver of ways and means, residing hereabouts, some twenty years ago, being in want of a turkey wherewith to be thankful according to law, on the last Thursday in November, ret his wits to procure one without labor, love, or money.

Turkeys, as every body knows, are fond of apples and appla trees for their couch, and our hero, going in the stillness of the night, singled out a fine fat gobler from a tree full, belonging to a neighbor. While reconnoitering the roost, he heard the bipeds say, distinctly,—"Quit! Quit! Quit!" But considering these as mere words of course, he did not regard him a feather, but taking a bit of red yarn from his pocket he made fast to the right leg of his intended prize and retired without further alarming the brood, or at all disturbing the owner. The next day he went to his neighbor's house with the following interrogatory—"You haven't seen no stray gobler here, have ye?" The neighbor answered that he had not; but there might possibly be one among his turkeys; and asked the other if he should know the turkey on seeing him?

"Yes, yes, said the witty man of inventions, "I should know him very well by a bit of red yarn he had around his right leg."

Accordingly the whole flock of turkeys were assembled, and the man, deeply regretting his loss, and declaring he would not have taken a silver dollar for the bird, began to examine the "whole lot."

"Gobble, gobble," said the indignant turkey, taller than the rest by a head.

"Ah! that's he," said the man springing up as he spoke, "that's the very identical feller; can you see he's got the mark on?"

"Well, so he has, sure enough," said the honest neighbor, taking two quids of pig tail in two minutes, "and yet I'll be darned and roasted alive, if that don't look as much like a gobbler of mine as two white beans. Howsomever, as the critter belongs to you, why, you must take him, that's all."

He said no more but caught the turkey and handed him over—as he supposed—to the rightful claimant. The other thanked him for his trouble, and after inviting him to come and take a Thanksgiving supper with him, and telling him he should be as welcome to a bite of the turkey as though it was his own, he marched off triumphantly with his prize under his arms and a laugh in his sleeves.

Dr. Francis said that one of the best things to appease hunger is an opium pill.

We wonder if the doctor ever tried a beefsteak flanked with several dishes of "mashed taters."

A Touch of the Tragical.

No MURDER AFTER ALL.—The body of a female, which was found a short time ago, floating near Providence, in a sack, with her throat cut, and which was supposed to be a horrid murder, turns out to be nothing of the kind. This body was a subject for dissection, though how it came to be in the river was not stated. The hole in the throat was made for the purpose of injecting a liquid into the arteries.—*Providence Journal.*

This reminds us of an intense excitement into which the respectable citizens of the respectable village of Bardstown, in this State, was once thrown by a similar discovery.

Towards the close of an autumnal day in the year 1841, (it is not worth while to be more exact, as every one in that neighborhood will recollect the circumstances,) groups of men might have been seen collected in different parts of the town of Bardstown, county of Nelson, with faces wearing an aspect of gloom, terror and deep melancholy. A rumor was prevalent that the mangled body of a human being had been discovered in an adjacent wood, connected with Mr. Wick's farm. Presently the Coroner, with lengthened visage and measured tread, was seen marching slowly and sadly toward the fatal wood, accompanied by numerous citizens, whose subdued looks betokened that they were aware of the solemn mission upon which they were embarked.—Arrived at the spot pointed out by the discoverer of the dark deed, they prepared to exhume the ill-fated victim. While doing so, each one crowded up to give a look of horror, and drop a tear of sympathy. The bones were thrown from the box which entombed them, and the jury, assisted by several learned physicians, proceeded to examine them prior to giving in their verdict. In order to assist their imagined obtuseness, a young limb of the law mounted a log, and with masterly eloquence proceeded to elucidate the dark mystery which hung over the tragedy. Deacon.

"Yes—I always thought so, too; but it's not the first time he did it."

"No! God bless me is it possible!

Who was it on?—what did he forge, Deacon?"

"Yes, sir, old man Emerson."

"Why, bless my soul I thought no man stood higher or firmer in the community, Deacon?" says I.

"Yes—I always thought so, too; but it's not the first time he did it."

"No! God bless me is it possible!

Who was it on?—what did he forge, Deacon?"

"It was a plaguy thick tire on a timber wheel!"

Old man Emerson carries on a large smithery and wagon factory, you see. I grabbed an axe helve, and the last I saw of the Deacon about that time, was a fragment of his coat tail vanishing up into his mouth. I confessed the cap.

An oldish sort of a relic of the past age—an old gent who considers a laugh sinful, who has been a subscriber for forty years, more or less to the "Daily Advertiser," a journal that never inserted a witty item but once during its existence, and then it lost over twenty subscribers in a heap! This old gent came into Deacon Clough's store, a few weeks ago, and seeing the Deacon seated on a sofa, with an unusual sedate expression on his generally jolly face, he said, in his favorite melancholy tone, as though he had "lost all" by the measles and owed two quarters' rent—

"What is the trouble Deacon Clough, this morning?"

"Well," says the Deacon, "I'm bothered some with the gravel—very much, in fact, this morning."

"Indeed! it's very shocking—it's very afflicting," says old Soiemcholly; "and what have you done for it, Deacon?"

"Nothing yet, must attend to it, I suppose."

"Would, Deacon, I would, it's very distressing—it's a most lamentable ill; go to Dr. Moore, or my friend Parkhurst, and be advised at once, Deacon."

"Oh, I guess I can soon fix it—a few stitches will answer."

"Stitches!" says Sorrowsful.

"Yes," says the Deacon. "You see they've been repairing our street. My boot is ripped at the toe, and the plague gruel gets to my feet and bothers me like sin!"

When the full force of the terrible fact burst in upon the old sober-side's brain that he was *joked*, he like to have wilted right down into his boots. He left in horror, and the Deacon heard that he kept his bed for three weeks! When Deacon Clough leaves this village, we shall have lost a good citizen, and a joker as can't be beat. So mote it be.

Mrs. PARTINGTON'S LAST.—"Does Isa-

ac partake any taste for poetry, Mrs. Partington?" asked the schoolmaster's wife, while conversing on the merits of the youthful Partington. The old lady was basting a chicken that her friends had sent her from the country. "Oh, yes," said the old lady, smiling; "he is very partially fond of poultry, and it always seems as if he can't get enough of it." The old spit turned by the fire-place in response to her answer while the basting was going on.

"I mean said the lady, "does he show any of the divine afflatus?" The old lady thought a moment. "As for the divine flatness—I don't about it. He's had all the complaints of children, and when he was a baby he fell and broke the cartridge of his nose, but I hardly think he's had this that you speak of." The roasting chicken kissed and sputtered, and Mrs. Partington basted it again.—*Carpet Bag.*

HORRIBLE DUEL.—By *The Santa Clara (Cal.) Register* we are informed of the following particulars of a duel which came off in Santa Clara County last week, near Guroy's ranch, and which, in ferocity and desperation, we find no parallel for in the State. It occurred, says the Register, between a Mexican and a native Californian, about a game of monte, and Colt's navy revolvers were the weapons used in combat.—Nine shots were fired, and four of the birds took flight in each of the combatants. Both parties expired immediately, and they were each ushered into the presence of their Maker to answer for the murder of the other. After the second or third shot, the Californian crawled on his hands and knees nearer his antagonist and fired, in order to make sure of his victim. This shot took effect in the abdomen of the Mexican.

SINGERS MUST BE CAREFUL.—A singer in the northern corner of Iowa recently dislocated his jaw in attempting to sing "high B." It appears that there was a contest between the victim and a rival teacher as to which should be employed to teach a certain singing school, and the former made such desperate efforts to astonish the natives as led to the lamentable result above mentioned;—but he got the school now!"

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The following anecdote illustrative of railroad facility is very pointed. A traveler inquired of a negro the distance to a certain point. "Dat 'pends on circumstance," replied the darkey: "If you gwine afoot, it'll take you about a day; if you gwine in de stage or de omnibus, you make it in half a day; but you get in one of these smoke wagons, you be almost dar now!"

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LEBANON, KY.

Wednesday Morning, Nov. 24, 1852.

Rail Road.

We see an excellent article in the Louisville *Courier*, of Saturday last upon this subject. The article alludes to shows the effects of Railroad transportation upon the products of the soil, as well as upon the soil itself. It gives a table showing the effect upon the price of produce, at the distance of from 10 miles to market to 330 miles. We find that corn, (which, according to *croakers*, is the only article that can be raised on Kentucky soil, to any extent,) is worth, in market, \$24.75 per ton, but we find, in progressing down the scale, that this article decreases very slowly in the Rail road column, whilst the decrease on the transportation by ordinary highway, is very rapid. At the distance of 160 miles the value on Railroad routes is \$22.35, whilst upon other routes it is only worth *sixty-five cents per ton*. At the distance of 330 miles from market on a Railroad route the value of corn, for carrying to market of course, is \$19.80 per ton, whilst the value of *Wheat* is \$0 at the same distance on dirt or other roads; corn having dwindled down to nothing at the distance of 170 miles from market.

Cannot the farmer see into the effects of a Railroad upon his labor? Can he not see that the Railroad brings him, as it were nearer to market, by giving him better prices for his produce? The argument that "no more produce can be raised than is now raised on our farms," is cast by the farmer at a Railroad advocate at every turn. We are inclined to think that such men are either wilfully blind or "talking for talk's sake." Do they not see farmers in other States raising more on sixty acres than they do on one hundred and sixty? Do they not see men around them, who have tillaged the same farm for twenty years, living in the same log house, and as scarce of money as ever? and yet they are called good farmers. How different is the picture as you draw near Louisville—fine houses, rich and jolly farmers, and plenty of money; and yet the majority of these men till about half as much land as does the poorest farmer in Marion County.—wherein lies the secret? Why is the meanest land within ten miles of Louisville worth from \$75 to \$100 per acre, whilst the very best of land in this county can be bought for from \$20 to \$30? Let us whisper in your ear, farmer of Marion: "The cause of all this is—it is nearer to market." Let's put a question to you: suppose that by paying \$50 you could place Marion county within a couple of hours' drive, to Louisville or any other good market, so that you could carry the little articles which you have to spare off your farm; would you not willingly do it? You have now the chance of doing this by simply voting for the Railroad tax; without, if you chose, it's costing you one cent. For, as we have stated before, you can sell your Tax Receipt, at par or a little below par. The Railroad cars will go to Louisville from Lebanon, within two hours, including all stoppages. Will this not be equivalent to moving Marion county to within two hours' drive of an excellent market? Farmers of Marion study your own interest, and vote for the Tax.

The article of the *Courier*, says, in relation to the influence of Railroads upon land:

"It will be seen that the value of lands are affected by railroads in the same ratio as their products. For instance, lands lying upon a navigable water course, or in the immediate vicinity of a market, may be worth for the culture of wheat \$100.

Let the average crop be estimated at 22 bushels to the acre, valued at \$33, and the cost of cultivation at \$15, this would leave \$18 per acre profit. This quantity of wheat (two-thirds of a ton) could be transported 330 miles at a cost of 1 cent per mile, or \$3.30, which would leave \$14.70 as the net profit of land at that distance from market, when connected with it by railroad. The value of the land therefore, admitting the quality to be the same in both cases, would bear the same ratio to the assumed value of \$100, as the value of its products, \$14.70, does to \$18, or \$82 per acre; which is an actual creation of value to that amount, assuming the correctness of the premises. The same calculation may of course be applied with equal force to any kind and species of property."

Next Thursday, the 25th is the day appointed by Governor POWELL, for general Thanksgiving in Kentucky.

TELEGRAPHIC.
Reported for the Louisville Courier.

ARRIVAL OF THE UNITED STATES.

NEW YORK, Nov. 17, M.

The United States, from Aspinwall, has arrived.

The Arctic sailed to-day with 40 passengers and \$100,000.

The Black Warrior brings Havana dates to the 11th Nov.

The Crescent City difficulty is revived at the instance of some old Spanish residents, who have prejudiced the mind of the Captain General by persuading him to declare that the understanding between Judge Conklin referred only to one voyage of the Crescent City.

A Spanish war steamer was cruising off the Moro, to prevent the Crescent City from entering the harbor, with orders to stop her at all hazards.

At Havana, the British steamer Highflyer, two British sloops-of-war, and three French war vessels are off the harbor. No American vessel of war is there.

The Black Warrior, from Havana, brings 31 passengers taken off the Barnegat light last night. She came in collision with the schooner Sarah Emma, from New York for Philadelphia, cutting her down to the water's edge. The schooner was abandoned, and the crew taken on board the Black Warrior.

There is no difficulty with the other American vessels. The steamer Pampero put into Havana for coal and water, a few days ago, without a bill of health, contrary to quarantine regulations; but this was overlooked, and the vessel received every facility and sailed on the 12th instant for San Juan.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 17.

The Republic has a long defense of the administration relative to the Crescent City difficulty. In it, the course of Mr. Law is denounced as a filibustering device to fan the flame of public excitement, and if possible involve the two countries in the horrors of war, and the repeated sending of Smith to Havana as a discreditable attempt to bully the Captain General into a surrender of his position rightfully held.

The administration will maintain to the fullest extent, the right of American vessels to trade with Havana, and will guard unflinchingly the right of American citizens visiting Cuba who do not compromise themselves by an infraction of the local laws. Farther than this, it will not enter into war to gratify the caprice of an individual or company to serve the purposes of desperate adventures or to punish Spain for an act in which she is sustained by the common law of nations.

The article concludes by asserting that while the administration is prepared to uphold the rights of commerce and protect and vindicate all proper privileges of our citizens, it is neither prepared or disposed to call in question the prerogative claimed by Cuba with regard to the exclusion of Purser Smith.

The Administration stands where it stood fifteen months ago, uninfluenced by clamor at home, unawed by threats from abroad. It will adhere to principles of honor and honesty and will carry them out at sea or on land without reference to consequences.

The Republic, however, states the refusal of the Captain General to allow the mails and passengers to be landed was an act that admits of no justification, offensive to the Government and the country, and calculated to excite a retaliating tempest on the part of the American people.

ARRIVAL OF THE STEAMSHIP

ASIA.

NEW YORK, Nov. 19, M.

The Asia, with dates to the 6th November, has arrived.

Parliament met on the 4th. Charles Swab Leevie was chosen Speaker. No business was transacted.

An application for *habeas corpus* by Barronett and Ellain, seconds in the late duel, was refused.

Father Gavagge is about to embark for America.

FRANCE.

The Senate met on the 4th. Ten members voted that they should be consulted in regard to the Empire.

Mr. Fould, Minister of State, declared that the Government did not oppose the proposition. It was then referred to a special committee, whose report would be presented on the 6th.

It is stated in Paris that the Senate's committee will declare the imperial crown hereditary in the person of Napoleon and his descendants, and in the event of his not having a male issue, then in the person of his adopted son. Should the latter die childless then in the person of Ex-King Jerome and his family.

Victor Hugo and others have issued a circular warning their brethren not to vote for the Emperor.

SPAIN.

The Cataline sailed for Havana on the 25th with 500 troops for Cuba.

The King of Sweden is dangerously ill, and a regency has been appointed for Sweden and Norway.

Gen. Concha declined to be present at Wellington's funeral. The Spanish army will be represented by the Duke of Ossins. Three ships are reported at Deal from Australia.

BOSTON, Nov. 18.

Advices from Rio Grande by arrivals from Buenos Ayres, say an attempt was made to overthrow the Government of Uruguay who was absent. In Santa Fe a civil war was apprehended.

PITTSBURG, Nov. 18.

This morning, a few miles east of this city, the locomotive and tender of the accommodation train were precipitated down a bank about 40 feet, injuring the engineer and firemen. The coupling broke and the passenger cars remained on the track. There was about eight rods of the road torn up. The accident was caused by the switches.

BALTIMORE, Nov. 18.

No mail south of Raleigh, N. C. The official vote of North Carolina gives Pierce 686 majority.

Gov. Reid has issued a proclamation calling the Legislature to meet on the first Wednesday in December to cast the vote of the State.

The Legislature have unanimously selected Hon. Wm. Hill, for Secretary of State.

The receipts for the Washington Monument fund from the 1st to the 16th amount to \$5,550.

It is snowing and raining, which checks business.

CONCORD, Nov. 18.

The Supreme court has decided the liquor law, passed by the legislature of this State as unconstitutional.

BALTIMORE, Nov. 18.

The mails are through from New Orleans as late as due, Lieut. Davenport and Purser Smith, of the Crescent City, declined a public dinner tendered them by the citizens of New Orleans. Major Ripley Arnold has arrived at New Orleans from the Texas frontier and reports everything quiet among the Indians.

The Democrats of this city, in convention, have appointed a committee to make arrangements for the reception of Gen. Pierce on his expected passage through this city to Virginia.

(From the N. Y. Herald, Nov. 10th)

Important from Havana.

The telegraphic despatch from New Orleans published in the New York Herald of Sunday last is confirmed, and the shameful conduct of our government, in the affair of the Crescent City fully exposed. The following correspondence gives the latest and most authentic intelligence in regard to our difficulties with the authorities of Cuba:

OFFICE OF THE U. S. MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY,
New York, November 9, 1852.

To James Gordon Bennett, Esq., Editor and Proprietor of the Herald

DEAR SIR: Enclosed is a despatch received from our agent at New Orleans, by telegraph, by which it appears the Acting Secretary of State, C. M. Conrad, was giving to the Spanish minister at Washington the assurance that Captain Porter and Purser Smith were to be removed from the Crescent City and not be again allowed to return, he was putting forth in the official organ of the administration, (the Republic,) that the government was taking efficient measures to vindicate the rights of the American citizens and the honor of our flag. At the same time also, he was endeavoring, privately, to have this company discharge Purser Smith, and remove Captain Porter from the Crescent City to the Georgia, both of which acts the company declined doing, believing them as they do now, that it was casting an unjust censure upon respectable citizens, who had only done their duty to the government, to their employers, and to their country. This was the object in telegraphing for Mr. Roberts, the agent of this company to come to Washington; and the removal of Captain Porter and Purser Smith, was insisted upon by the Acting Secretary of State, C. M. Conrad. All these facts show how far our citizens can rely upon that functionary for the vindication of our rights against foreign aggression, and how feeble and inefficient our government must become if influenced or controlled by such consuls.

Very respectfully, your obedient servant,

GEORGE LAW, President.

P. S.—You are at liberty to publish in the Herald the following despatch and letters for information of the public.

Mr. George Law to the Acting Secretary of State.

OFFICE OF THE U. S. MAIL STEAMSHIP CO.,
New York, October 27, 1852.

SIR: I had the honor this day to receive your letter of the 25th inst.

On the 6th instant we addressed the Department of the State a letter, detailing at some length the grievances of which this company feels it has a right to complain, in relation to the course on various occasions, of the authorities of the island of Cuba towards the ships of this company; and we respectfully request to be advised as to our rights, and whether the government of Cuba were justified in pursuing the course above alluded to.

Our motives in writing that letter were to bring to the notice of our government, which we felt bound to do, certain acts of a foreign government, which we could not but regard as oppressive and unjust towards this company, and to American citizens and shippers engaged in lawful commerce with that power, and also as an insult to the flag of our country.

The company supposed that the Island of Cuba had no right to dictate to our own government, or to the owners of American ships; who should be employed on board of them, or to make a compliance or non-compliance with their directions in this respect a pretext for excluding such ships, with their passengers and mails; as did not conform to their directions in relation to the employees on board of them. If these impressions

were not well founded, we suppose that we should be so advised by the Department of State.

If they were well founded, as we supposed, a right to expect from our government protection against the injury. We have, as yet, received no reply from the Department of State to our letter of the 6th instant, although addressed, in duplicate, both to Washington and to Marshfield; and the letter of the Acting Secretary of State of the 25th instant, in reply to my letter of the 23d, fails to afford us the desired information.—Every day's delay is and has been a great loss to the company, extremely detrimental to the commercial interests of the country, and, more than all subjects us, if correct in our impression, to the humiliation of submitting to a wrong.

I desire respectfully to say that it was less our intention to inquire what course the government of Cuba would pursue, than to ascertain what interpretation our own government gave to the rights of American citizens and of this company, in order to know how far we would be able to comply with it.

I have the honor to be very respectfully yours,

GEORGE LAW, President.
Hon. C. M. CONRAD, Acting Secretary of State.

Acting Secretary Conrad to Mr. Law.

DEPARTMENT OF STATE,
Washington, Oct. 30, 1852.

SIR: Your letter of the 27th instant has been received.

That of the 6th instant, to which it refers, was addressed to this department by Mr. M. O. Roberts.

In consequence of the information it contains, that gentleman was requested to repair to Washington. He did so, and had a long conversation with me in relation to the occurrence at Havana. He is therefore fully apprised that the subject has engaged the earnest attention of the department.

I have only to add, in reply to your own letter, that, as soon as the department could obtain authentic information of the occurrence referred to, they were made the subject of a communication to the government of Spain. When an answer to that communication is received it will probably be made public.

In the meantime, I must be excused from giving you any information or advice on this subject.

You may rest assured, however, that neither the honor nor the interests of the country will be neglected.

I am, sir, very respectfully, your obedient servant,

C. M. CONRAD, Acting Sec.

To GEO. LAW, Esq., New York.

The third Reception of the Crescent City at Havana.

[TELEGRAPHIC.]

NEW ORLEANS, Nov. 6, 1852.

M. O. ROBERTS:

The steamship Crescent City arrived last night. She was permitted to land the Havana mails and passengers, but was notified that she would not be allowed to do so on her return. The United States consul informed Captain Davenport that he had sent a letter to the Spanish Minister to the Captain General, wherein states that he had been assured by the Acting Secretary of State, C. M. Conrad, that neither Captain Porter nor Purser Smith should be permitted to return to the Crescent City; and that the Captain General expressed his surprise that this assurance had not been complied with in this instance.

JAMES R. JENNINGS.

The Caloric Ship.

The New York Times says—"The experiment of Mr. Ericsson of applying heated air to the propulsion of ships, is rapidly approaching a crisis. The trial ship for this object was launched in this city, several weeks ago, and by the first of December her machinery will be ready to test the feasibility of the discovery as a substitute for steam. Opinions are much divided on the subject. The revolution which it proposes in navigation is too wonderful not to enlist the liveliest concern among business men. The principal, if successful with water craft, is capable of application to nearly all machinery now driven by steam. Mills, factories, and railway locomotives may employ it. The discovery, and rapid extension and employment of the magnetic telegraph are not more remarkable; than this will be, if its practical working should correspond with the now sanguine hopes of Mr. Ericsson and the friends who are furnishing him with the means."

Notice!!

STRAYED OR STOLEN. from the subscriber, living in this county, on Saturday, the 13th inst., a DARK BAY HORSE 15 hands high; a little white on his left hind foot, same hoof white, and is between 7 and 8 years old.

A liberal reward will be given for his delivery, either at Mr. J. L. Mattingly's or Robert O'Bryan's.

Nov. 24th, 1852.

J. A. HALL.

Notice.

I HAVE a very fine Jack, 6 years old for sale. I apply to JOSEPH A. HALL, Lebanon, Ky., Nov. 10—11.

Take Notice.



THE POST.

Wednesday Morning Nov 24 1852

Mr. J. T. O'BRYAN, is our authorized agent at Bardstown for the reception of Subscriptions, Advertisements, &c., and is also authorized to receive and receipt for all monies due us in that region.

Rags! Rags!! Rags!!!

Clean Linen and Cotton Rags wanted at this office. The highest price in CASH will be paid for any amount brought.

We have a lot of fine "Half Spanish" Cigars, which we will sell low, by retail. Call at our Reading Room.

The Georgia Penitentiary has turned out some specimens of Railway freight cars, in the manufacture of which the prisoners have been quite successful.

Rev. Dr. Robinson, the Sacred Geographer, has just returned from Palestine, having re-examined the topography and antiquities of the country, in company with Dr. Eli Smith. The results of his enquiries will be given in a supplemental volume to his renowned work on Palestine.

An act was passed by the last Legislature of Virginia, concerning the killing of deer, which provides that if any person shall be found in possession of a deer, or shall kill one, in any year, in any county lying west of the Blue Ridge, and east of the Alleghany, between the first of January and the first of August, he shall forfeit five dollars, unless the deer shall be his own tamed or in a park.

The "Black Swan"—Miss Greenfield, assisted at a charity concert in Buffalo, on Tuesday last week, at which \$367 were raised.

Notes of the "Commercial Bank of Kentucky," that recently went into operation at Paducah, have been put in circulation. They are beautifully engraved, and we should think counterfeiters would find it exceedingly difficult to either alter or imitate them.

Division of Texas.

The Texas papers speak of a project very generally discussed in that region, for a division of that State, and the formation of two States. The idea of dividing it into Eastern and Western Territory, is not relished by many, on the ground that there would be danger of the formation of a free State in the Western portion.

Sugar cultivation has been introduced, and has been found very profitable, and extensive plantations are being opened for this use.—*Cin. Atlas.*

COUNTY REWARD.—It will be seen by a notice in our paper to-day, that the County Court of Fayette have offered a reward of one thousand dollars for the detection and conviction of the person or persons who set fire to the Court House; and an additional reward of one hundred dollars for the detection and conviction of those who have been engaged or may be hereafter engaged in stoning or otherwise injuring the Court House.—*Lexington Obs.* 17th.

HOGS.—A large train of hog cars started for Bagdad yesterday to bring in 1,500 hogs for one of our packers, which were expected last night. A train of about 400 arrived last evening.

Messrs. Clifton, Atkinson & Co., received yesterday 330 hogs from Columbus, La., by the Jeffersontown railroad, the first receipt from that quarter.

Prices of hogs are firm at 4 cents gross, and sales of several large lots from the hooks at prices supposed to be \$4 40 net. We heard of a sale of 10,000 green hams at 7 1/4 c and 1,000 barrels prime lard at 9 cts.

Lou. Cour. 19th.

We learn that the Irish on the Pacific railroad, at a section about eighteen miles from the city, are having frequent fights and riots. It grows out of a party feud of long standing in Ireland, and which they still continue after their arrival in the United States.

St. Louis News, 15th.

An Irish advertisement reads as follows:—"Lost, on Saturday last, but the loser does not know where, an empty sack with a cheese in it. On the sack the letters P. G., are marked, but so completely worn out as not to be legible."

William B. Knight was killed in this county, on Friday last in a recontre with James Nichols. Nichols stabbed him with a pocket knife, which caused his death in the course of an hour or two. The latter has been held to bail.

Winchester (Tenn.) Independent, 12th.

One thousand hogs arrived last night on the cars at North Madison, from the Kingstown Railroad, for shipment to Cincinnati. We understand that some thirty thousand hogs will be sent over the Madison Roads to Cincinnati this season. Heretofore hogs from the counties lying East of the Rush and Kingstown roads have been driven to Cincinnati.

Madison Courier.

Loss of the Propeller Oneida.

BUFFALO, Nov. 15.—The propeller Oneida, known to have been on her passage from Cleveland to Buffalo, during the severe gale of Thursday Friday nights last, is no doubt a total wreck by foundering. Her two boats and part of her piers, together with a large quantity of flour had drifted ashore about five miles from Dunkirk. There is no doubt of the loss of all on board.

"Whiskerets" is the name of the "little John cow catchers" that the ladies wear on their cheeks in the place "where the whiskers ought to grow." They are formed by drawing down a little tuft of hair from the temple, and curling up in the shape of a ram's horn or a little pig's tail with an extra kink in it.

A friend recently returned from the East, says that in the same car with himself, were a newly married couple, who had evidently seen little of the world. They were so happy that they couldnt keep it to themselves and were constantly clasping hands, whispering, and snuggling up to each other like a kitten to a hot brick. They were the "observed of all observers." At length the train went thundering through a long, dark tunnel, and our friend kissed his hand with a smack which was heard throughout the car. Of course, as the train emerged into the light, all eyes were turned upon the loving couple, who, though innocent of the kiss, were rosy with the consciousness of being suspected. The thing was more than they could bear, and at the next station they left the train.—*Cleveland Herald.*

Special Notices.

"DIGEST!" Such is the true meaning of the word "Pepsin," or of the two Greek words from which it is derived. This is the significant and appropriate title of the True Digestive Fluid or Gastric Juice, prepared by Dr. J. S. Houghton, of Philadelphia, from the fourth stomach of the Ox, for the cure of Indigestion and Dyspepsia. It is Nature's own remedy for an unhealthy stomach. No art of man can equal its curative powers. It renders good eating perfectly consonant with health. See advertisement in another part of the paper.

House and Lot for Sale!!!

BY virtue of a decree rendered at the last September Term of the Marion Circuit Court, in the case of E. Muldrow and others vs. C. A. Porter and others, I will sell in Lebanon, at the Court House door, on Monday the 6th day of December, 1852, (it being County Court day) to the highest bidder, a spacious BRICK STORE-HOUSE, on Main street, in said town. There is a lot running back from the Store-House with other valuable improvements on it, including a fine two story brick Kitchen. The store-house has a number of finely finished rooms, fitted up for a family residence, in addition to the store room, and is admirably suited for an individual with a family who is desirous of carrying on merchandize or other business. There is now a Drug Store kept in the house. It is about the best stand in town. Sold to be upon a credit of twelve and eighteen months, the purchaser giving bond with good security, to have the force and effect of a replevin bond, bearing interest from date. THOS. C. WOODS, Comr.

To My Customers!!!

HUMBLY solicit a settlement with those indebted to me as speedily as possible, as I wish to get my business. I may be found at Mr. Kirk's Hotel. If not Mr. R. SAVAGE will answer. ANTHONY THORNTON.

State of Kentucky, } Oct., Sept. Term
Marion Circuit, } 1852.
GREEN PHILLIPS, Adm. Pl't.
against
GREEN PHILLIPS' Creditors, &c., Def't.

ORDERED by the Court that all persons having claims against the estate of Green Phillips, dec'd, are hereby required to produce and prove the same before Wm. S. Knott, Master Comr, in Chancery, at the Clerk's Office of the Marion Circuit Court, or on before the March Term next, and all creditors are enjoined from otherwise disposing of their claims until the further order of the Court.

Attest, WM. S. KNOTT, M. Comr.

CARRIAGES!!

F. LAWREY

TAKES this method of informing the citizens of Marion county, that he will visit Lebanon at least once in every month and sometimes oftener. He will always be prepared to furnish CARRIAGES, BUGIES, ROCKAWAYS, &c., of the very latest and most fashionable patterns at Louisville prices.

I am always ready to exchange new carriages for second hand upon terms.

My manufacture is at Louisville on the corner of Main and Preston where I will always be glad to receive orders or visits from the citizens of that neighborhood. F. LAWREY.

REFERENCE.—J. H. Kirk, J. P. Reed, S Purdy, Geo. Phillips and J. T. Jarde. Oct. 27th—6m.

New Fall and Winter DRY GOODS.

THE undersigned has just received from the East a very handsome assortment of Ladies' and Gentlemen's goods, selected by one of the tastiest buyers, west of the Alleghany, consisting in part of the following articles:

Armenian cloths; figured and plain draperies; fancy colored merinoes; silks and black and fancy cloths; 6-4 La Bavadre cassimines; black Dorekins; embroidered Vestings; plain do.; overcoatings; Cloak linings; Ladies' and Gentlemen's Kids and Buckskins; all of the goods can be bought very low for cash or on a short credit.

Persons owing account for the past year will confer a favor not to be forgotten soon by coming in and settling by cash. MONEY I AM BOUND TO HAVE. J. R. KNOTT.

Oct. 6th, 1852-ff.

New Fall and Winter DRY GOODS.

L. A. SPALDING & CO.

WOULD respectfully inform their friends and the public generally that they have now in store a large and well selected stock of

Fall and Winter Goods, comprising all of the varieties and patterns suitable for this market, which they are determined to sell as low as any establishment in the west. Our friends and the public generally are requested to call and examine our stock.

Sept. 29th, 1852.

New Fall and Winter GOODS.

WE have just received direct from NEW YORK and PHILADELPHIA a complete stock of Fall and Winter GOODS which we will sell low for cash or to punctual dealers the usual credit—our customers and the public generally are requested to give us a call. All kinds of country produce taken in exchanged for goods.

ABELL, WIMSATT, & CO.

All those indebted to the undersigned either by note or account are requested to call and settle, as we are determined to settle up our old business.

L. A. & W. I. ABELL.

Sept. 6th, 1852-ff.

BOOKS! BOOKS!!

THE following School, and Miscellaneous BOOKS, together with Stationery may be had at the Drug Store; and any works desired, not on hand, will be immediately rendered.

Guthrie's 1st, 2nd, 3d, 4th and 5th Readers.

Webster's Dictionary, Speller, and Speller and Definer.

Ray's, Davies', and Pike's Arithmetics and Ray's Algebra.

Butler's, Smith's Kirkham's and Pinne's Grammars.

Mitchell's Olney's and Smith's Geographies. Comstock's Natural Philosophy and Chemistry.

Pineau's English Teacher; Familiar Science. Casmas; the great work of Baron Humboldt. History of England by Hume; Smalllett, & Miller, in 4 vols.

Rollin's History of the Medes, Persians, Carthaginians, &c., in 2 vols.

Bancroft's History of the United States, in 4 vols.

Hilditch's History of the United States, in 6 vols.

Young American's Library in 10 vols., gilt and embossed.

Scottish Chiefs, Cook's Voyages, Rinaldo Rinaldo.

Romance of the Forest, Children of the Abbey. The practical works of Hewitt, Cook & Launder.

Kirk White; Goldsmith; Shakespeare; Pope; Moore; Ossian; Mrs. Hemans; Milton & Young; Campbell; Byron, Wordsworth & Coopers; and Croly's British Tales, all beautifully gilt and embossed.

Besides, a variety of elegant gilt books of various kinds and sizes.

All for sale, cash at nearly Louisville prices.

Lebanon, Sept. 22 1852-ff. L. H. NOBLE.

Aug. 8, 1852.—6w.

New Fall and Winter DRY GOODS.

MAAS & RORHCHILD.

Springfield, Ky.

HAVING added to their already large stock, a full supply of FALL AND WINTER DRY GOODS of all the varieties and patterns suitable for this market. Being determined to sell goods as low as any establishment in the West, we would invite all those who wish to lay in their Winter clothing to call and examine their stock before purchasing elsewhere. We do not charge anything for showing goods.

September 1st, 1852-ff.

L. H. NOBLE.

Lebanon, Ky., July, 28 1852-ff.

Notice.

ALL those indebted to me for goods sold

to them, would do me a great favor by coming in and settling their accounts by cash, as I am very much in need of money at this time.

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LOST,

ON Water Street, on Tuesday the 17th, 1852, a GOLD SHIRT STUD. Said stud was formed of a South American \$1 25 piece on one side, and a circular piece of wrought gold on the other.

The wrought gold had engraved upon it the letters T. J.

Any one finding and returning said stud to the Printing Office, will be suitably rewarded and many thanks.

Aug. 18th, 1852.

A FINE LOT OF VISITING and BUSINESS CARDS, on hand and for sale at the Printing Office.

May 5, tf.

FOOLSCAP PAPER, of the very best quality, on hand and for sale, at the Printing Office.

May 5, tf.

ENVELOPES of every quality and price, on hand and for sale, at the Printing office.

May 5.

PROSPECTUS

OF

THE LEBANON POST

Enough has been said and wrote out upon the innumerable advantages arising out of having a newspaper in a County; I will not, therefore, enlarge upon this point. Feeling convinced that the people of Marion wish an establishment of the kind in their county, I have consented, after many solicitations, to make a trial; let us see what will be the result. I had partially made my arrangements to move upon the Ohio river, but if the people of Marion will show, by subscribing liberally for the "POST," that they want a paper, we will succumb to their wishes, and settle amongst them.

THE POST, will be strictly NEUTRAL in Politics and Religion, in all things else perfectly INDEPENDENT;

expressing freely the views of the Editor and his Correspondents, on the passing events of the day, local matters, &c. I am decidedly in favor of Railroad communication in Kentucky, being firmly convinced that in that way alone, can our beloved State keep up with the advancement of the age and her older Sister-States. I am particularly in favor of a communication of this kind across the State, and thus giving us a direct intercourse with the great southern mart; being convinced that such an intercourse would redound to the benefit of all classes, and that the proposed route through Marion County is the best location in the state, and believe firmly that it can and will be run. We will advocate, conditionally, to the best of our ability, this truly beneficial enterprise and solicit the pens of others.

Select Poetry.

From the Western Home Visitor.
The Witchery of the Eye.

By E. S. ROUSE.

"From woman's eyes this doctrine I derive,
They sparkle still the right Promethean fire,"
SHAKESPEARE.

Let others say, whate'er they may,
Or slightly pass it by;
I sing the charms—the soft alarms,
And witchery of the eye.

With beauty's eye there's nought can vie,
In earth, or sea, or sky;
You own its sway, and can't allay
The witchery of the eye.

Its sideling glance end sly parlance,
Though scarcely you desirer;
You yield your heart to the subtle art
And witchery of the eye.

Though it be taught to hide the thought,
You fail not to copy,
The mind's index, and soul's reflex,
In the witchery of the eye.

Who'ser you are, or dark, or fair,
Rich, poor, or low or high,
'Tis all in vain that you disdain
The witchery of the eye.

You can't disarrange its potent charm
However you may try;
For yield you must—though you distrust
The witchery of the eye.

And when you peer in its Crystal clear
You heed the unbidden sigh,
And yield your soul to the control
And witchery of the eye.

Then what's the use? There's no excuse;
"Tis vain to flight or fly,
When once displayed you can't evade
The witchery of the eye.

Then straight resign to the divine,
Delectable foe, or die,
Whene'er you feel like glittering steel,
The witchery of the eye.

Miscellaneous.

FATAL CONFLICT AT A BALL.—The locksmiths of Copenhagen assembled with their wives and female friends ten days ago in a public house to have a dance. Six soldiers presented themselves and demanded admission. They were at first refused, but the stewards at length consented to allow them to enter, provided they would lay aside their swords. The soldiers declared they would not do so, and went away in anger. Presently they returned with several of their comrades; each had a drawn sword in his hand. The door was closed; they broke it open; but the workmen, being more numerous, expelled them. Irritated at their defeat, the soldiers began to attack every body who passed. A police patrol arrived and ordered them disperse. They refused; a conflict ensued, and three of the police men were mortally wounded.

Shortly after between one hundred and one hundred and fifty soldiers from the barracks in Silver street rushed about the streets, armed with swords, and struck every one they met, shouting as they did so, "Down with the citizens!" "Hurrah for the soldiers!" Some of them even attempted to force their way into houses. After awhile detachments of cavalry and artillery arrived and the ringleaders were arrested. The next the soldiers and non-commissioned officers were confined to their barracks and an order was issued, that henceforth soldier and non-commissioned officers shall not appear in arms, except when on duty. The number of persons wounded in the outbreak was thirty-five, and of killed six, one of the latter being a woman.—*London paper.*

TIME FOR PRUNING.—Volumes have been written on this subject, a great part of which is a mere theory. Many prune in the spring from custom, and others in June because the wound heals quickly, not reflecting that it is of more importance that the wound heal soundly than quickly. We give directions according to our experience for thirty years.

Slight pruning, in which very small limbs or dead limbs of any size are removed, may be performed, when most convenient, in any season. Moderate pruning should be done in June, July, or August, though it will answer very well till December. If trees are pruned in July, August, or September, the wood will become hard, sound, and well seasoned, and commence healing over; and it is not material, otherwise, than for appearance whether it heals over the first, second, or third year as it will remain in a healthy state.

We should prefer, October, November, or even December, to the spring, which is the worst season. The trees then are full of sap, and it oozes out at the wound, which turns black and decays, like a tree cut in the spring, and allowed to retain the bark. But if limbs ever so large, are cut in August or September, the wood will become hard and remain so if it never heals over.

Thirty-two years ago, in September, we cut a very large branch from an apple tree on account of injuries by a gale. The tree was old, and it has never healed over; but it is now sound, and almost as hard as horn, and the tree perfectly sound around it. A few years before and after large limbs were cut from the same tree in spring; and where they were cut off the tree has rotted so that a quart measure may be put into the cavities.—*Cle.*

LENGTH AND BREADTH.—"My dear, come in and go to bed," said the wife of a jolly son of Erin, who had just returned from the Fair, in a decidedly "how come you so state?"—"You must be dreadful tired, sure, with your long walk of six miles?" "Arrah, get away with your nonsense," said Pat; "it wasn't the length of the way, at all, that fatigued me, 'twas the breadth of it."

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CHANGE OF COLOR IN FISH.—The following paragraph is from "Sporting in Sutherlandshire" England.

The change of color in fish is very remarkable, and takes place with great rapidity. Put a living black burn trout into a basin of water, and it becomes within half an hour, of a light color.—Keep the fish living in a white jar for some days, and it becomes absolutely white; but put it into a dark colored or black vessel, and although on first being placed there the white-colored fish shows most conspicuously on the black ground in a quarter of an hour becomes as dark colored as the bottom of the jar, and consequently difficult to be seen. No doubt this facility of adapting its color to the bottom of the water in which it lives, is of the greatest service to the fish in protecting it from its numerous enemies. All anglers must have observed that in every stream the trout are very much of the same color as the gravel or sand on which they live; whether this change of color is a voluntary or involuntary act on the part of the fish, I leave it for the scientific to determine.

A copy attest: R. H. ROWNTREE, Clerk.

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In which is collected from various authentic sources, a great amount of VALUABLE HISTORICAL information on the different subjects of Biography, Travels, Commerce, Statistics, Indians, Revolutionary Battles, etc.; also, Anecdotes, Poetry and Miscellaneous Articles from the earliest periods in American History, illustrated with about one hundred and forty fine Engravings; in one Imperial 8vo. volume, handsomely bound in Leather; \$40 pages; price \$3 00.

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Therefore, it is ordered by the Court, that an election be held in accordance with the directions of the Act establishing the charter, and amendments thereto of the Louisville and Nashville Railroad Company; at the several places of voting established by law in Marion County, on Friday, the 10th day of December 1852; and it is ordered that the present Judges, Clerks and Sheriffs of election at said places of voting, be and they are hereby directed to hold the election; to determine the sense of the qualified voters of Marion County, whether they will by their votes, authorize and direct the Marion County Court to subscribe to the Capitol Stock of the Louisville and Nashville Railroad Company, Two Thousand Shares of Stock, of one hundred dollars each, payable in the bonds of the county of Marion, for the sum of \$200,000.

"Without indulging in a doubt of the truthfulness of 'Old Billy's' exploits among the Witches, or casting any direct reflections upon the professors of Mesmerism, Psycometry, or Biology; yet the Witch Doctor's career is described so graphically, and the parallel between his exploits and those of his more astute, but less original imitators of the Fox, Fish, and Sanderland school, that we think the Spirit of the latter will experience any thing but gratification in the book, and may, perchance, spell that most famous of all spells—when in a corner—DONE."

Literary World.

"The object of this work is to show the absurdity of the *ultraisms* of the past day, which have so largely occupied public credulity, and which, under the grab of science, have acquired a degree of influence wholly undeserved. The hit seems to be a most palpable one; and while the author thus cleverly shows up the modern imaginativeness, he furnishes us an exceedingly interesting history of the early settlers of our own country. The picture is a most faithful one, and is presented in such an agreeable style, that it cannot fail to prove interesting to all classes of readers."—*Western Lancet.*

2nd. That the stock in this Branch Road be placed in every respect upon equality with the stock in the main stem of said Road.

3rd. That the Company will give stock for all the interest Marion County may have to pay upon her bonds issued for the amount above subscribed until said Road is in condition to declare regular annual dividends.

Editors of Newspapers giving the above three insertions, and forwarding marked copies of the paper containing the same, shall be entitled to one copy of each of the therein named books, deliverable upon order in Cincinnati, within one year after such insertion.

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One door East of Platt & Bosley,
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WOULD respectfully announce to the citizens of Springfield and Washington Co., that they are in receipt of a large and well selected stock of Family Groceries of every variety, which they offer for sale for cash, or exchange for Country Produce.

Dec. 20t. A. J. GREEN & CO.

Candies, Kisses,
Dates, Prunes,
Oranges, Lemons,
Apples, Figs,
received and for sale by A. J. GREEN & CO.

SUNDRIES—
30 Jars Pickles,
26 Jars Preserves,
Fresh Peaches,
Preserved Peaches and Quince,
Peanuts, Cream Nuts,
Fiblets and almonds,
Oysters and Sardines,
Soda Biscuits, &c., &c. received and for sale by A. J. GREEN & CO.

BBLS MCKENZIE'S Family FLOUR received and for sale by mar. 13 A. J. GREEN & CO.

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W. W. JACK.



Stoves! Stoves!!

H. R. GREENE.

KEEPS CONSTANTLY on hand a full assortment of COOKING STOVES of the very latest and best patterns. He would respectfully invite the public to call and examine his stock. Also; 6 and 10 plate, and Parlor Stoves, of any pattern desired, can be furnished on the shortest notice.

TIN AND SHEET-IRON WARE, Of every description, kept constantly on hand. Also; Brass Stew-K-tles of the very best quality. And other articles usually found in a Tin-ster's shop.

I am prepared to do any amount of Guttering or Roofing on the shortest notice, and at Louisville prices, and warrant my work to give entire satisfaction.

The highest prices given in cash or trade for old Copper and Pewter.

H. R. GREENE.

Springfield Ky., Oct. 4, 1852.

STRADER'S HOTEL.

FORMERLY THE PEARL STREET HOUSE, Pearl street, between Main and Market, LOUISVILLE, KY.

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THIS old established and well known hotel has been entirely refitted and refurbished in the most comfortable style, and is now opened for the accommodation of the public. It is located in the center of the business part of the city, being mid-way between the Mail Boat and the masterly guidance of Christopher North, maintains its ancient celebrity, and is, at this time, unusually attractive, from the serial works of Bulwer and other literary notables, written for that magazine, and first appearing in its columns both in Great Britain and in the United States. Such works as "The Caxtons" and "My New Novel," (both by Bulwer), "My Peninsular Medal," "The Green Hand," and other serials, of which numerous rival editions are issued by the leading publishers in this country, have to be reprinted by those publishers from the pages of Blackwood, AFTER IT HAS BEEN ISSUED BY MESSRS. SCOTT & CO., so that subscribers to the reprint of that Magazine may always rely on having the EARLIEST reading of these fascinating tales.

Sept. 20, 1851, 3m.

J. R. JENKINS,
Wholesale and Retail
GROCERY & PRODUCE

STORE.

THE SUBSCRIBER having purchased the entire stock of R. P. EDELEN, in the old stand of Jarboe & Edele; would respectfully solicit a share of public patronage. I intend to keep constantly on hand every variety of Family Groceries such as:

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Brown Sugar, Spices,
Coffee, Liquors,
Tea, Wines,
Candies, Cordials,
Candles, Beer,
Preserves, Cider,
Pickles, Os,
Crockery Ware, Cheese,
Nails, Hardware.

And all other articles usually kept in an establishment of the kind.

My motto shall be, "Small profits and quick sales, for cash;" in a word, I will furnish any amount of Groceries at a small per cent on cost and carriage.

All kinds of Country produce taken in exchange at liberal prices.

J. R. JENKINS

Springfield, Ky., Oct. 4, 1851, 6m.

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I have a good supply of STATIONERY, on hand and for sale; such as:

FOOLSCAP AND LETTER PAPER,
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THIS Institution is situated in Bardstown. The site is beautiful and healthy; the buildings are stately and very extensive. The playing grounds are spacious and handsomely set with trees. The professors are from twelve to fifteen in number, and exclusively devoted to the instruction of those intrusted to their care.

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4. For Painting or Drawing, per quarter, each, 5,00

5. For Board in the College during the vacation, per week, 2,00

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For further particulars apply, by letter, to the President.

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